

Rev. Thomas Raysor, M. D., son of Thomas Raysor and Hannah Stokes, was for many years a prominent member of the South Carolina Conference. Uncle Thomas Stokes had several children: 1. Dr. Peter F., who married Miss Felder of Blackville, and left a daughter, Daisy. Mrs. Stokes afterwards married Charles S. Willson. 2. Thomas, who married his cousin, Ella Appleby. 3. Carrie, who married her cousin also, Thos. J. Appleby. 4. Lizzie.

Mr. Peter Raysor, who moved to Texas years ago, is another child of Captain Raysor and Hannah Stokes. Hon. Thomas M. Raysor, senator from Orangeburg county, is his son. Mrs. Rebecca Moss is also from Captain Raysor and Hannah Stokes. She still survives, and has been recently bereaved of her venerable husband, Capt. William C. Moss. Hon. B. Hart Moss of the Orangeburg bar, is their son. A daughter, Mossie, married Judge Charles Glover Dantzler. George Raysor and Ann S. Stokes left a number of children. Dr. John May of Colleton, later of York county, married Carrie, one of the daughters, a fine character, lately passed away. Dr. Charles Raysor May of Blenheim, S. C., is a son. Mrs. Mildred Appleby, another daughter of Peter Stokes, left a large family. A son, Thos. J. Appleby, was auditor of Colleton, and later of the new Dorchester county. Aunt Jane Raysor is still living, in a green and beautiful old age.

Peter Stokes married, the second time, Lucy Thompson, daughter of Benjamin Risher and Mary de Fontaine. She was a sister of Ann, who married Williams Stokes. She was born January 31, 1799, and fell asleep in Jesus, November 1, 1859. I remember seeing her when I was quite a small boy. She was a sweet and motherly woman, a devoted wife, mother and step-mother. She is held in loving memory by all who knew her.

Of this couple were born: 1. James, who was thrice married, to Miss Harriet E. Howell, Miss Elizabeth Fairey and Miss Margaret Barton. He was a man of fine judgment and high character. There was but one child by the first marriage, Hannah (Mrs. Dr. Lang of Georgia); none by the